

A bill for an act

relating to capital improvements; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; establishing new programs and modifying existing programs; authorizing the sale of state bonds; repealing and modifying previous appropriations; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2008, sections 16A.86, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 115A.908, subdivision 2; 116.155, subdivision 3; 134.45, by adding a subdivision; 135A.046, subdivision 2; 136F.98, subdivision 1; Laws 2006, chapter 258, sections 20, subdivision 7; 21, subdivision 6, as amended; 23, subdivision 3, as amended; Laws 2008, chapter 179, sections 3, subdivisions 12, as amended, 21, 25; 12, subdivision 3; 15, subdivision 5; Laws 2008, chapter 365, section 4, subdivision 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2008, sections 16A.86, subdivision 3; 116.156; Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 8, subdivision 3.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.**

The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the bond proceeds fund, or another named fund, to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. Appropriations of bond proceeds must be spent as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraph (a), to acquire and better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature, or as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraphs (b) to (j), or article XIV. Unless otherwise specified, the appropriations in this act are available until the project is completed or abandoned subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642.

SUMMARY

<u>University of Minnesota</u>	\$	<u>59,000,000</u>
<u>Minnesota State Colleges and Universities</u>		<u>90,280,000</u>
<u>Education</u>		<u>5,780,000</u>
<u>Natural Resources</u>		<u>29,000,000</u>

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2.1	<u>Pollution Control Agency</u>	<u>25,000,000</u>
2.2	<u>Zoological Garden</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
2.3	<u>Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
2.4	<u>Military Affairs</u>	<u>3,602,000</u>
2.5	<u>Transportation</u>	<u>36,900,000</u>
2.6	<u>Metropolitan Council</u>	<u>41,433,000</u>
2.7	<u>Human Services</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
2.8	<u>Veterans Affairs</u>	<u>4,000,000</u>
2.9	<u>Corrections</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>
2.10	<u>Employment and Economic Development</u>	<u>45,250,000</u>
2.11	<u>Minnesota Historical Society</u>	<u>2,065,000</u>
2.12	<u>Bond Sale Expenses</u>	<u>365,000</u>
2.13	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$ 367,675,000</u>
2.14	<u>Bond Proceeds Fund (General Fund Debt Service)</u>	<u>308,168,000</u>
2.15	<u>Bond Proceeds Fund (User Financed Debt Service)</u>	<u>38,427,000</u>
2.16	<u>Maximum Effort School Loan Fund</u>	<u>5,780,000</u>
2.17	<u>State Transportation Fund</u>	<u>15,300,000</u>
2.18		<u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>
2.19	Sec. 2. <u>UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA</u>	
2.20	Subdivision 1. <u>Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 59,000,000</u>
2.21	<u>To the Board of Regents of the University</u>	
2.22	<u>of Minnesota for the purposes specified in</u>	
2.23	<u>this section.</u>	
2.24	Subd. 2. <u>Higher Education Asset Preservation</u>	
2.25	<u>and Replacement (HEAPR)</u>	<u>35,000,000</u>
2.26	<u>To be spent in accordance with Minnesota</u>	
2.27	<u>Statutes, section 135A.046.</u>	
2.28	Subd. 3. <u>Twin Cities Campus</u>	
2.29	<u>Bell Museum of Natural History</u>	<u>24,000,000</u>
2.30	<u>To complete design and to construct, furnish,</u>	
2.31	<u>and equip a new Bell Museum of Natural</u>	
2.32	<u>History on the St. Paul campus.</u>	
2.33	Sec. 3. <u>MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES</u>	
2.34	<u>AND UNIVERSITIES</u>	
2.35	Subdivision 1. <u>Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 90,280,000</u>

3.1	<u>To the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota</u>	
3.2	<u>State Colleges and Universities for the</u>	
3.3	<u>purposes specified in this section.</u>	
3.4	<u>Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation</u>	
3.5	<u>And Replacement (HEAPR)</u>	<u>50,000,000</u>
3.6	<u>For the purposes specified in Minnesota</u>	
3.7	<u>Statutes, section 135A.046, including safety</u>	
3.8	<u>and statutory compliance, building envelope</u>	
3.9	<u>integrity, mechanical systems, and space</u>	
3.10	<u>restoration.</u>	
3.11	<u>Subd. 3. Lake Superior Community and</u>	
3.12	<u>Technical College</u>	
3.13	<u>Health and Science Center Addition</u>	<u>11,550,000</u>
3.14	<u>To complete design of and to construct,</u>	
3.15	<u>furnish, and equip an addition to the Health</u>	
3.16	<u>and Science Center and to renovate existing</u>	
3.17	<u>spaces.</u>	
3.18	<u>Subd. 4. Mesabi Range Community and</u>	
3.19	<u>Technical College, Eveleth</u>	
3.20	<u>Carpentry and Industrial Mechanical</u>	
3.21	<u>Technology and Shops</u>	<u>5,250,000</u>
3.22	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip shop space</u>	
3.23	<u>for the industrial mechanical technology</u>	
3.24	<u>and carpentry programs. This appropriation</u>	
3.25	<u>includes funding for renovation of existing</u>	
3.26	<u>space for ADA compliance.</u>	
3.27	<u>Subd. 5. Metropolitan State University</u>	
3.28	<u>Smart Classroom Center</u>	<u>5,700,000</u>
3.29	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip renovation</u>	
3.30	<u>of two floors of technology-enhanced</u>	
3.31	<u>classrooms and academic offices in the power</u>	
3.32	<u>plant building. This appropriation includes</u>	
3.33	<u>money to demolish the power plant annex to</u>	
3.34	<u>enable the new construction.</u>	

4.1 Subd. 6. Minnesota State College, Southeast
4.2 Technical - Aviation Training Center

4.3 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
4.4 136F.60, subdivision 5, the net proceeds
4.5 of the sale or disposition of the Aviation
4.6 Training Center in Winona operated by
4.7 Minnesota State College - Southeast
4.8 Technical, after paying all expenses incurred
4.9 in selling the property and retiring any
4.10 remaining debt attributable to the project,
4.11 are appropriated to the board of trustees
4.12 of the Minnesota State Colleges and
4.13 Universities for use in a capital project at the
4.14 Winona campus and need not be paid to the
4.15 commissioner of finance, as would otherwise
4.16 be required by Minnesota Statutes, section
4.17 16A.695, subdivision 3.

4.18 Subd. 7. North Hennepin Community College

4.19 Center for Business and Technology 13,970,000

4.20 To construct, furnish, and equip an addition
4.21 to the Center for Business and Technology
4.22 and to renovate the center for classrooms and
4.23 related space.

4.24 Subd. 8. Systemwide Initiatives

4.25 Classroom Renovation 3,810,000

4.26 To design, construct, furnish, and equip
4.27 renovation of classroom and academic
4.28 space. Campuses may use nonstate money
4.29 to increase the size of the projects. This
4.30 appropriation may be used only at the
4.31 following campuses: Central Lakes College,
4.32 Brainerd; Minnesota State Community
4.33 Technical College, Moorhead and Wadena;
4.34 Minnesota West Community Technical

5.1 College, Pipestone; Northland Community
5.2 Technical College, Thief River Falls; Pine
5.3 Technical College, Pine City; and Rochester
5.4 Community Technical College, Rochester.

5.5 Subd. 9. **Debt Service**

5.6 (a) The board shall pay the debt service on
5.7 one-third of the principal amount of state
5.8 bonds sold to finance projects authorized by
5.9 this section, except for higher education asset
5.10 preservation and replacement, and except
5.11 that, where a nonstate match is required, the
5.12 debt service is due on a principal amount
5.13 equal to one-third of the total project cost,
5.14 less the match committed before the bonds
5.15 are sold. After each sale of general obligation
5.16 bonds, the commissioner of finance shall
5.17 notify the board of the amounts assessed for
5.18 each year for the life of the bonds.

5.19 (b) The commissioner shall reduce the
5.20 board's assessment each year by one-third of
5.21 the net income from investment of general
5.22 obligation bond proceeds in proportion to the
5.23 amount of principal and interest otherwise
5.24 required to be paid by the board. The board
5.25 shall pay its resulting net assessment to the
5.26 commissioner of finance by December 1 each
5.27 year. If the board fails to make a payment
5.28 when due, the commissioner of finance
5.29 shall reduce allotments for appropriations
5.30 from the general fund otherwise available
5.31 to the board and apply the amount of the
5.32 reduction to cover the missed debt service
5.33 payment. The commissioner of finance
5.34 shall credit the payments received from the
5.35 board to the bond debt service account in

6.1 the state bond fund each December 1 before
6.2 money is transferred from the general fund
6.3 under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641,
6.4 subdivision 10.

6.5 Subd. 10. Unspent Appropriations

6.6 (a) Upon substantial completion of a project
6.7 authorized in this section and after written
6.8 notice to the commissioner of finance, the
6.9 Board of Trustees must use any money
6.10 remaining in the appropriation for that
6.11 project for HEAPR under Minnesota
6.12 Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board
6.13 of Trustees must report by February 1 of
6.14 each even-numbered year to the chairs
6.15 of the house and senate committees with
6.16 jurisdiction over capital investments and
6.17 higher education finance, and to the chairs of
6.18 the house Ways and Means Committee and
6.19 the senate Finance Committee, on how the
6.20 remaining money has been allocated or spent.

6.21 (b) The unspent portion of an appropriation
6.22 for a project in this section that is complete,
6.23 is available for higher education asset
6.24 preservation and replacement under this
6.25 subdivision, at the same campus as the
6.26 project for which the original appropriation
6.27 was made and the debt service requirement
6.28 under subdivision 9 is reduced accordingly.
6.29 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies
6.30 from the date of the original appropriation to
6.31 the unspent amount transferred.

6.32 Sec. 4. EDUCATION

6.33 Independent School District No. 38, Red Lake \$ 5,780,000

7.1 From the maximum effort school loan fund to
7.2 the commissioner of education for a capital
7.3 loan to Independent School District No. 38,
7.4 Red Lake, as provided in Minnesota Statutes,
7.5 sections 126C.60 to 126C.72, to design,
7.6 construct, furnish, and equip renovation of
7.7 existing facilities and construction of new
7.8 facilities.

7.9 The project paid for with this appropriation
7.10 includes a portion of the renovation and
7.11 construction identified as Phase 4 in the
7.12 review and comment performed by the
7.13 commissioner of education under the capital
7.14 loan provisions of Minnesota Statutes,
7.15 section 126C.69. This portion includes
7.16 renovation and construction of a single
7.17 kitchen and cafeteria to serve the high school
7.18 and middle school, a receiving area and dock
7.19 and adjacent drives, utilities, and grading.

7.20 Before any capital loan contract is approved
7.21 under this authorization, the district must
7.22 provide documentation acceptable to the
7.23 commissioner on how the capital loan will
7.24 be used.

7.25 Sec. 5. **NATURAL RESOURCES**

7.26 Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** **\$ 29,000,000**

7.27 To the commissioner of natural resources for
7.28 the purposes specified in this section.

7.29 The appropriations in this section are
7.30 subject to the requirements of the natural
7.31 resources capital improvement program
7.32 under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12,
7.33 unless this section or the statutes referred
7.34 to in this section provide more specific

8.1 standards, criteria, or priorities for projects
8.2 than Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12.

8.3 To the extent possible, prairie restorations
8.4 funded in whole or in part with this
8.5 appropriation must be made using best
8.6 management practices for native prairie
8.7 species of a local ecotype as defined
8.8 in Minnesota Statutes, section 84.02,
8.9 subdivision 2.

8.10 Subd. 2. **Statewide Asset Preservation** 1,000,000

8.11 For the renovation of state-owned facilities
8.12 operated by the commissioner of natural
8.13 resources, to be spent in accordance with
8.14 Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. The
8.15 commissioner may use this appropriation
8.16 to replace buildings if, considering the
8.17 embedded energy in the building, that is the
8.18 most energy-efficient and carbon-reducing
8.19 method of renovation.

8.20 Subd. 3. **Flood Hazard Mitigation Grants** 26,000,000

8.21 For the state share of flood hazard
8.22 mitigation grants for publicly owned capital
8.23 improvements to prevent or alleviate flood
8.24 damage under Minnesota Statutes, section
8.25 103F.161.

8.26 The commissioner shall determine project
8.27 priorities as appropriate, based on need.

8.28 This appropriation includes money for the
8.29 following projects:

8.30 (a) Agassiz Valley
8.31 (b) Albert Lea
8.32 (c) Austin

- 9.1 (d) Bois de Sioux Watershed District, North
9.2 Ottawa project
- 9.3 (e) Breckenridge
- 9.4 (f) Crookston
- 9.5 (g) Granite Falls
- 9.6 (h) Hay Creek-Norland
- 9.7 (i) Inver Grove Heights
- 9.8 (j) Manston Slough
- 9.9 (k) Oakport Township
- 9.10 (l) Roseau
- 9.11 (m) Spring Brook
- 9.12 (n) Stillwater
- 9.13 \$650,000 of this appropriation is to
9.14 predesign, design, and begin construction
9.15 of Phase III of the Stillwater flood control
9.16 project, including flood control structures
9.17 and pumping stations.
- 9.18 (o) Two Rivers
- 9.19 For any project listed in this subdivision
9.20 that the commissioner determines is not
9.21 ready to proceed or does not expend all the
9.22 money allocated to it, the commissioner may
9.23 allocate that project's money to a project on
9.24 the commissioner's priority list.
- 9.25 To the extent that the cost of a project in
9.26 Breckenridge, Crookston, Granite Falls,
9.27 Oakport Township, or Roseau exceeds two
9.28 percent of the median household income in
9.29 the municipality multiplied by the number
9.30 of households in the municipality, this
9.31 appropriation is also for the local share of the
9.32 project.

10.1	<u>Subd. 4. Dam Renovation and Removal</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
10.2	<u>To renovate or remove publicly owned dams.</u>	
10.3	<u>The commissioner shall determine project</u>	
10.4	<u>priorities as appropriate under Minnesota</u>	
10.5	<u>Statutes, sections 103G.511 and 103G.515.</u>	
10.6	<u>This appropriation includes money for the</u>	
10.7	<u>following projects:</u>	
10.8	<u>(a) Balsam Lake, Itasca County</u>	
10.9	<u>(b) Clearwater River, Stearns and Wright</u>	
10.10	<u>Counties</u>	
10.11	<u>(c) Drayton, Kittson County</u>	
10.12	<u>(d) Hallock, Kittson County</u>	
10.13	<u>(e) Knife Lake, Kanabec County</u>	
10.14	<u>(f) Lanesboro, Fillmore County</u>	
10.15	<u>(g) Milaca, Mille Lacs County</u>	
10.16	<u>(h) Pike River, St. Louis County</u>	
10.17	<u>(i) Sunrise River, Chisago County</u>	
10.18	<u>Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
10.19	<u>16A.69, subdivision 2, upon the award of</u>	
10.20	<u>final contracts for the completion of a project</u>	
10.21	<u>listed in this subdivision, the commissioner</u>	
10.22	<u>may transfer the unencumbered balance</u>	
10.23	<u>in the project account to any other dam</u>	
10.24	<u>renovation or removal project on the</u>	
10.25	<u>commissioner's priority list.</u>	
10.26	<u>Sec. 6. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY</u>	
10.27	<u>Closed Landfill Cleanup</u>	<u>25,000,000</u>
10.28	<u>For capital costs of cleaning up closed</u>	
10.29	<u>landfills under Minnesota Statutes, sections</u>	
10.30	<u>115B.39 to 115B.445. All debt service on</u>	
10.31	<u>bonds issued to finance this appropriation</u>	
10.32	<u>must be paid by the Pollution Control Agency</u>	

11.1 under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.643,
 11.2 from revenue credited to the environmental
 11.3 fund.

11.4 This appropriation is for capital costs of
 11.5 environmental response action at qualified
 11.6 closed landfill facilities in Albert Lea,
 11.7 Mille Lacs County, Washington County, the
 11.8 Western Lake Superior Sanitary District,
 11.9 and other locations as determined by the
 11.10 commissioner of the Pollution Control
 11.11 Agency.

11.12 If the dig and fill option is chosen for
 11.13 remediation of the Washington County
 11.14 landfill, the landfill must have a triple liner.

11.15 Sec. 7. MINNESOTA ZOOLOGICAL
 11.16 GARDEN

11.17 **Asset Preservation and Improvement** \$ **5,000,000**

11.18 To the Minnesota Zoological Garden
 11.19 to design and construct capital asset
 11.20 preservation improvements and betterments
 11.21 to infrastructure and exhibits at the Minnesota
 11.22 Zoo.

11.23 Sec. 8. AMATEUR SPORTS COMMISSION

11.24 Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** \$ **5,000,000**

11.25 To the Minnesota Amateur Sports
 11.26 Commission for the purposes specified in
 11.27 this section.

11.28 Subd. 2. **National Sports Center - Blaine** **1,000,000**

11.29 For asset preservation at the National Sports
 11.30 Center in Blaine, to be spent in accordance
 11.31 with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

11.32 Subd. 3. **National Volleyball Center - Rochester** **4,000,000**

12.1	<u>For a grant to the city of Rochester to design,</u>		
12.2	<u>construct, furnish, and equip the Phase 2</u>		
12.3	<u>expansion of the National Volleyball Center</u>		
12.4	<u>in Rochester, designated by the Minnesota</u>		
12.5	<u>Amateur Sports Commission as a regional</u>		
12.6	<u>amateur sports center, subject to Minnesota</u>		
12.7	<u>Statutes, section 16A.695.</u>		
12.8	Sec. 9. <u>MILITARY AFFAIRS</u>		
12.9	<u>Asset Preservation</u>	\$	<u>3,602,000</u>
12.10	<u>To the adjutant general for asset preservation</u>		
12.11	<u>improvements and betterments of a capital</u>		
12.12	<u>nature at military affairs facilities, to be</u>		
12.13	<u>spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes,</u>		
12.14	<u>section 16B.307.</u>		
12.15	<u>This appropriation may be used for life safety</u>		
12.16	<u>improvements, to correct code deficiencies,</u>		
12.17	<u>for Americans with Disabilities Act</u>		
12.18	<u>alterations, and to improve energy efficiency</u>		
12.19	<u>at existing National Guard Training and</u>		
12.20	<u>Community Centers at Hastings, Hutchinson,</u>		
12.21	<u>Red Wing, and Winona; and to match</u>		
12.22	<u>federal stimulus money for backup heating</u>		
12.23	<u>and electricity improvements at Bemidji,</u>		
12.24	<u>Brainerd, Duluth, Inver Grove Heights,</u>		
12.25	<u>Jackson, Northeast Minneapolis, Rosemount,</u>		
12.26	<u>and St. Peter.</u>		
12.27	Sec. 10. <u>TRANSPORTATION</u>		
12.28	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	\$	<u>36,900,000</u>
12.29	<u>To the commissioner of transportation for the</u>		
12.30	<u>purposes specified in this section.</u>		
12.31	<u>Subd. 2. Local Bridge Replacement and</u>		
12.32	<u>Rehabilitation</u>		<u>15,300,000</u>

13.1 This appropriation is from the bond proceeds
13.2 account in the state transportation fund
13.3 to match federal money and to replace
13.4 or rehabilitate local deficient bridges as
13.5 provided in Minnesota Statutes, section
13.6 174.50.

13.7 Political subdivisions may use grants made
13.8 under this subdivision to construct or
13.9 reconstruct bridges, including:

13.10 (1) matching federal-aid grants to construct
13.11 or reconstruct key bridges;

13.12 (2) paying the costs of preliminary
13.13 engineering and environmental studies
13.14 authorized under Minnesota Statutes, section
13.15 174.50, subdivision 6a;

13.16 (3) paying the costs to abandon an existing
13.17 bridge that is deficient and in need of
13.18 replacement, but where no replacement will
13.19 be made; and

13.20 (4) paying the costs to construct a road
13.21 or street to facilitate the abandonment
13.22 of an existing bridge determined by
13.23 the commissioner to be deficient, if the
13.24 commissioner determines that construction
13.25 of the road or street is more economical than
13.26 replacement of the existing bridge.

13.27 \$300,000 is for a grant to the city of Staples
13.28 in Todd County to predesign, design, and
13.29 construct a highway overpass over U.S.
13.30 Highway 10 and the Burlington Northern
13.31 Santa Fe Railroad tracks in Staples. This
13.32 appropriation is added to the appropriation
13.33 in Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 16,
13.34 subdivision 3.

14.1	<u>Subd. 3. Minnesota Valley Railroad Track</u>	
14.2	<u>Rehabilitation</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
14.3	<u>For a grant to the Minnesota Valley Regional</u>	
14.4	<u>Railroad Authority to rehabilitate up to 95</u>	
14.5	<u>miles of railroad track from Norwood-Young</u>	
14.6	<u>America to Hanley Falls. A grant under this</u>	
14.7	<u>subdivision is in addition to any grant, loan,</u>	
14.8	<u>or loan guarantee for this project made by</u>	
14.9	<u>the commissioner under Minnesota Statutes,</u>	
14.10	<u>sections 222.46 to 222.62.</u>	
14.11	<u>Subd. 4. Northern Lights Express</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
14.12	<u>For a grant to the St. Louis and Lake</u>	
14.13	<u>Counties Regional Railroad Authority for</u>	
14.14	<u>design, engineering, and environmental</u>	
14.15	<u>studies of the rail lines, railway stations, and</u>	
14.16	<u>other railroad appurtenances for the Northern</u>	
14.17	<u>Lights Express Passenger Rail project to</u>	
14.18	<u>facilitate the return of passenger rail service</u>	
14.19	<u>along the Duluth/Minneapolis rail corridor.</u>	
14.20	<u>This appropriation is in addition to the</u>	
14.21	<u>appropriation in Laws 2006, chapter 258,</u>	
14.22	<u>section 16, subdivision 5.</u>	
14.23	<u>Subd. 5. Twin Cities to Chicago High-Speed</u>	
14.24	<u>Rail Line</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
14.25	<u>For the state's share of environmental</u>	
14.26	<u>analysis of a high-speed rail line connecting</u>	
14.27	<u>Chicago, LaCrescent, Winona, Red Wing,</u>	
14.28	<u>and the Union Depot Concourse Multimodal</u>	
14.29	<u>Transit Hub, located in downtown St. Paul</u>	
14.30	<u>in the area south of Kellogg Boulevard and</u>	
14.31	<u>east of Jackson Street.</u>	
14.32	<u>No part of this appropriation may be spent to</u>	
14.33	<u>acquire or better capital improvements that</u>	
14.34	<u>are located outside the state of Minnesota,</u>	
14.35	<u>that may be used from time to time outside</u>	

15.1	<u>the state of Minnesota, or that are part of</u>	
15.2	<u>a rail corridor that is not designated by the</u>	
15.3	<u>Midwest Interstate Passenger Rail Compact.</u>	
15.4	<u>The commissioner shall work with the</u>	
15.5	<u>Wisconsin Department of Transportation</u>	
15.6	<u>to coordinate application for federal capital</u>	
15.7	<u>assistance for the high-speed rail project.</u>	
15.8	<u>After an alignment connecting downtown</u>	
15.9	<u>St. Paul and downtown Minneapolis is</u>	
15.10	<u>identified, the high-speed rail line may</u>	
15.11	<u>be extended from downtown St. Paul to</u>	
15.12	<u>downtown Minneapolis.</u>	
15.13	<u>Subd. 6. Port Development Assistance</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
15.14	<u>For grants under Minnesota Statutes, chapter</u>	
15.15	<u>457A. Any improvements made with the</u>	
15.16	<u>proceeds of these grants must be publicly</u>	
15.17	<u>owned.</u>	
15.18	<u>Subd. 7. Alexandria Aircraft Surveillance</u>	
15.19	<u>Facility</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
15.20	<u>To acquire land for, and to design and</u>	
15.21	<u>construct, a surveillance tower and associated</u>	
15.22	<u>equipment, an emergency backup power</u>	
15.23	<u>system, and a structure to house equipment.</u>	
15.24	<u>Subd. 8. Bigfork Airport Runway</u>	<u>1,700,000</u>
15.25	<u>For a grant to the city of Bigfork to extend</u>	
15.26	<u>and reconstruct a runway.</u>	
15.27	<u>Subd. 9. Duluth Airport Terminal</u>	<u>4,900,000</u>
15.28	<u>For a grant to the city of Duluth to predesign,</u>	
15.29	<u>design, construct, furnish, and equip new</u>	
15.30	<u>terminal facilities at the Duluth International</u>	
15.31	<u>Airport.</u>	
15.32	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
15.33	<u>commissioner of finance determines that at</u>	

16.1 least an equal amount has been committed to
 16.2 the project from nonstate sources.

16.3 Sec. 11. **METROPOLITAN COUNCIL**

16.4 Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** \$ 41,433,000

16.5 To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes
 16.6 specified in this section.

16.7 Subd. 2. **Bottineau Boulevard Transit Way** 500,000

16.8 For a grant to the Hennepin County
 16.9 Regional Railroad Authority for preliminary
 16.10 engineering for the Bottineau Transit
 16.11 Way corridor from the Hiawatha light rail
 16.12 and Northstar transit hub in downtown
 16.13 Minneapolis to the vicinity of the Target
 16.14 development in northern Brooklyn Park or
 16.15 the Arbor Lakes retail area in Maple Grove.

16.16 Subd. 3. **Cedar Avenue Bus Rapid Transit** 1,000,000

16.17 To acquire real property and construct
 16.18 roadway improvements for shoulder running
 16.19 bus lanes on CSAH 23 in Apple Valley and
 16.20 Lakeville for the Cedar Avenue Bus Rapid
 16.21 Transit Way (BRT) in Dakota County. This
 16.22 appropriation is added to the appropriations
 16.23 in Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 17,
 16.24 subdivision 3; and Laws 2008, chapter 179,
 16.25 section 17, subdivision 4.

16.26 Subd. 4. **Central Corridor Transit Way** 8,450,000

16.27 (a) For one or more of the following activities
 16.28 for the Central Corridor light rail transit line
 16.29 that will connect downtown Minneapolis with
 16.30 downtown St. Paul: preliminary engineering,
 16.31 final design, property acquisition, including
 16.32 improvements and betterments of a capital
 16.33 nature, relocation of utilities owned by public

17.1 entities, and construction. This appropriation
17.2 is added to the appropriation in Laws 2008,
17.3 chapter 365, section 4, subdivision 2.

17.4 (b) Hennepin and Ramsey Counties need not
17.5 spend their matching money for this project
17.6 at a rate faster than dollar for dollar with the
17.7 money from this appropriation.

17.8 Subd. 5. **I-94 Corridor Transit Way** 250,000

17.9 For a grant to Ramsey County to work with
17.10 the Metropolitan Council for predesign and
17.11 preliminary engineering of transportation and
17.12 transit improvements, including busways,
17.13 park-and-rides, or rail transit, in the marked
17.14 Interstate Highway 94 corridor from the
17.15 Minnesota-Wisconsin border extending
17.16 westward through Washington County to
17.17 downtown St. Paul.

17.18 Subd. 6. **Robert Street Corridor Transit Way** 500,000

17.19 For a grant to the Dakota County Regional
17.20 Railroad Authority for environmental studies
17.21 and engineering of bus rapid transit or light
17.22 rail transit for the Robert Street Corridor
17.23 Transit Way along a corridor on or parallel
17.24 to U.S. Highway 52 and Robert Street from
17.25 within the city of St. Paul to Dakota County
17.26 Road 42 in Rosemount. This appropriation
17.27 is added to the appropriation in Laws 2006,
17.28 chapter 258, section 17, subdivision 6.

17.29 Subd. 7. **Rush Line Corridor Transit Way** 500,000

17.30 For a grant to the Ramsey County Regional
17.31 Railroad Authority to acquire land for,
17.32 design, and construct park-and-ride or
17.33 park-and-pool lots located along the Rush
17.34 Line Corridor along I-35E/I-35 and Highway

18.1	<u>61 from the Union Depot in downtown St.</u>	
18.2	<u>Paul to Hinckley.</u>	
18.3	<u>Subd. 8. Southwest Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
18.4	<u>To prepare an environmental impact</u>	
18.5	<u>statement (EIS) and for preliminary</u>	
18.6	<u>engineering for the Southwest Transit Way</u>	
18.7	<u>Corridor, from the Hiawatha light rail in</u>	
18.8	<u>downtown Minneapolis to the vicinity of the</u>	
18.9	<u>Southwest Station transit hub in Eden Prairie.</u>	
18.10	<u>The Metropolitan Council may grant a</u>	
18.11	<u>portion of this appropriation to the Hennepin</u>	
18.12	<u>County Regional Railroad Authority.</u>	
18.13	<u>Subd. 9. Union Depot</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
18.14	<u>For a grant to the Ramsey County Regional</u>	
18.15	<u>Railroad Authority to acquire land and</u>	
18.16	<u>structures, to renovate structures, and</u>	
18.17	<u>for design, engineering, and construction</u>	
18.18	<u>to revitalize Union Depot for use as a</u>	
18.19	<u>multimodal transit center in St. Paul. The</u>	
18.20	<u>center must be designed so that it most</u>	
18.21	<u>economically facilitates a potential future</u>	
18.22	<u>connection of high-speed rail to Minneapolis.</u>	
18.23	<u>This appropriation is in addition to the</u>	
18.24	<u>appropriation in Laws 2006, chapter 258,</u>	
18.25	<u>section 17, subdivision 7.</u>	
18.26	<u>Subd. 10. Metropolitan Regional Parks Capital</u>	
18.27	<u>Improvements</u>	
18.28	<u>(a) Como Zoo</u>	<u>11,000,000</u>
18.29	<u>For a grant to the city of St. Paul to</u>	
18.30	<u>predesign, design, construct, furnish, and</u>	
18.31	<u>equip Phase 2 renovation of the polar bear</u>	
18.32	<u>and gorilla exhibits at the Como Zoo.</u>	
18.33	<u>(b) Coon Rapids 85th Avenue Bicycle Trail</u>	<u>500,000</u>

19.1	<u>For a grant to the city of Coon Rapids to</u>	
19.2	<u>predesign, design, and construct a bicycle</u>	
19.3	<u>and pedestrian trail connecting the city of</u>	
19.4	<u>Fridley bicycle and pedestrian trail along</u>	
19.5	<u>85th Avenue to the Mississippi Regional</u>	
19.6	<u>Trail Corridor in the city of Coon Rapids.</u>	
19.7	<u>(c) Grand Rounds Bridge</u>	<u>600,000</u>
19.8	<u>For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to</u>	
19.9	<u>acquire land for, and to predesign and design</u>	
19.10	<u>a bridge for, the Grand Rounds Scenic</u>	
19.11	<u>Byway on St. Anthony Parkway over the</u>	
19.12	<u>Northtown Rail Yard.</u>	
19.13	<u>(d) Grand Rounds Lighting</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
19.14	<u>For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to</u>	
19.15	<u>purchase, install, and replace lighting fixtures</u>	
19.16	<u>on the Grand Rounds Scenic Byway. Priority</u>	
19.17	<u>may be given to the Victory Memorial</u>	
19.18	<u>Parkway portion. Any outdoor lighting</u>	
19.19	<u>fixtures installed, replaced, maintained, or</u>	
19.20	<u>operated with this appropriation must be a</u>	
19.21	<u>full cutoff luminaire, as defined in Minnesota</u>	
19.22	<u>Statutes, section 16B.328, subdivision 1,</u>	
19.23	<u>if the rated output of the outdoor lighting</u>	
19.24	<u>fixture is greater than 1,800 lumens, and</u>	
19.25	<u>be the minimum illuminance adequate for</u>	
19.26	<u>the intended purpose with consideration</u>	
19.27	<u>given to nationally recognized standards.</u>	
19.28	<u>Full consideration must be given to energy</u>	
19.29	<u>conservation and savings, reduction of</u>	
19.30	<u>glare, minimization of light pollution, and</u>	
19.31	<u>preservation of the natural night environment.</u>	
19.32	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
19.33	<u>commissioner determines that at least an</u>	
19.34	<u>equal amount has been committed to the</u>	
19.35	<u>project from nonstate sources.</u>	

20.1	<u>(e) Grand Rounds Roadway</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
20.2	<u>For a grant to the Minneapolis Park and</u>	
20.3	<u>Recreation Board to design a roadway to</u>	
20.4	<u>complete the Grand Rounds National Scenic</u>	
20.5	<u>Byway in the city of Minneapolis from</u>	
20.6	<u>Stinson Boulevard in northeast Minneapolis</u>	
20.7	<u>along St. Anthony Parkway and Industrial</u>	
20.8	<u>Boulevard to southeast Minneapolis at East</u>	
20.9	<u>River Road, and to repair and reconstruct</u>	
20.10	<u>portions of the existing 55-mile Grand</u>	
20.11	<u>Rounds National Scenic Byway.</u>	
20.12	<u>(f) Heritage Village Park</u>	<u>100,000</u>
20.13	<u>For a grant to the city of Inver Grove Heights</u>	
20.14	<u>to predesign the Heritage Village Park along</u>	
20.15	<u>the Mississippi River in the city.</u>	
20.16	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
20.17	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
20.18	<u>an equal amount has been committed from</u>	
20.19	<u>nonstate sources.</u>	
20.20	<u>(g) Inver Grove Heights - Swing Bridge</u>	<u>100,000</u>
20.21	<u>For a grant to the city of Inver Grove Heights</u>	
20.22	<u>to design and renovate the west bank bridge</u>	
20.23	<u>and bridge approach to Mississippi River</u>	
20.24	<u>Bridge 5600, commonly known as the Rock</u>	
20.25	<u>Island Swing Bridge, located between Inver</u>	
20.26	<u>Grove Heights and St. Paul Park in Dakota</u>	
20.27	<u>County. The design for utilizing the bridge</u>	
20.28	<u>infrastructure along the west bank of the</u>	
20.29	<u>Mississippi River must require connections</u>	
20.30	<u>with any local, regional, or state trails, and</u>	
20.31	<u>incorporate walking trails and fishing pier</u>	
20.32	<u>concepts, along with any park development</u>	
20.33	<u>in the area.</u>	

21.1	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
21.2	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
21.3	<u>an equal amount has been committed from</u>	
21.4	<u>nonstate sources.</u>	
21.5	<u>(h) Lower Afton Road Trail</u>	<u>450,000</u>
21.6	<u>For a grant to Ramsey County to design and</u>	
21.7	<u>construct a paved bicycle and pedestrian</u>	
21.8	<u>trail on the north side of Lower Afton Road</u>	
21.9	<u>between McKnight Road and Point Douglas</u>	
21.10	<u>Road.</u>	
21.11	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
21.12	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
21.13	<u>\$1,600,000 has been committed to the project</u>	
21.14	<u>from nonstate sources.</u>	
21.15	<u>The appropriation is added to the</u>	
21.16	<u>appropriation in Laws 2006, chapter 258,</u>	
21.17	<u>section 17, subdivision 8.</u>	
21.18	<u>(i) Rice Creek North Regional Trail</u>	<u>2,183,000</u>
21.19	<u>For a grant to Anoka County as the local</u>	
21.20	<u>share to match federal money, to design and</u>	
21.21	<u>develop the Rice Creek North Regional Trail,</u>	
21.22	<u>extending from Rice Creek Chain of Lakes</u>	
21.23	<u>Park Reserve in Lino Lakes to the Ramsey</u>	
21.24	<u>County trail system in Shoreview.</u>	
21.25	<u>(j) Springbrook Nature Center</u>	<u>2,500,000</u>
21.26	<u>For a grant to the city of Fridley to</u>	
21.27	<u>predesign, design, construct, and equip</u>	
21.28	<u>the redevelopment and expansion of the</u>	
21.29	<u>Springbrook Nature Center. No nonstate</u>	
21.30	<u>match is required.</u>	
21.31	<u>(k) Upper Landing Shoreline Protection</u>	<u>3,800,000</u>
21.32	<u>For a grant to the city of St. Paul to acquire</u>	
21.33	<u>land for and to predesign, design, construct,</u>	

22.1	<u>furnish, and equip river park development</u>		
22.2	<u>and redevelopment infrastructure in National</u>		
22.3	<u>Great River Park along the Mississippi River</u>		
22.4	<u>in St. Paul.</u>		
22.5	Sec. 12. <u>HUMAN SERVICES</u>		
22.6	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
22.7	<u>To the commissioner of administration, or</u>		
22.8	<u>another named agency, for the purposes</u>		
22.9	<u>specified in this section.</u>		
22.10	<u>Subd. 2. Asset Preservation</u>		<u>3,000,000</u>
22.11	<u>To set up a summer boiler system for the</u>		
22.12	<u>Minnesota Sex Offender Program at Moose</u>		
22.13	<u>Lake and to make capital improvements at</u>		
22.14	<u>the St. Peter Regional Treatment Center to</u>		
22.15	<u>accomplish the following: improve lighting,</u>		
22.16	<u>conserve water, replace caulking and weather</u>		
22.17	<u>stripping, replace steam traps, install a</u>		
22.18	<u>building automation system, replace window</u>		
22.19	<u>air conditioners in the Administration</u>		
22.20	<u>Building, install solar pool heating and a</u>		
22.21	<u>pool blanket, and install premium efficiency</u>		
22.22	<u>motors for mechanical systems. Any</u>		
22.23	<u>money remaining may be spent for asset</u>		
22.24	<u>preservation improvements and betterments</u>		
22.25	<u>of a capital nature at Department of Human</u>		
22.26	<u>Services facilities statewide, in accordance</u>		
22.27	<u>with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
22.28	<u>Subd. 3. Early Childhood Learning and Child</u>		
22.29	<u>Protection Facilities</u>		<u>2,000,000</u>
22.30	<u>To the commissioner of human services for</u>		
22.31	<u>grants to construct and rehabilitate facilities</u>		
22.32	<u>for programs under Minnesota Statutes,</u>		
22.33	<u>section 256E.37.</u>		

23.1	Sec. 13. <u>VETERANS AFFAIRS</u>		
23.2	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>4,000,000</u>
23.3	<u>To the commissioner of administration for</u>		
23.4	<u>the purposes specified in this section.</u>		
23.5	<u>Subd. 2. Asset Preservation</u>		<u>1,000,000</u>
23.6	<u>For asset preservation improvements and</u>		
23.7	<u>betterments of a capital nature at veterans</u>		
23.8	<u>homes statewide, to be spent in accordance</u>		
23.9	<u>with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
23.10	<u>Subd. 3. Veterans Cemeteries</u>		<u>3,000,000</u>
23.11	<u>To acquire land for veterans cemeteries</u>		
23.12	<u>located in Redwood County and northeastern</u>		
23.13	<u>Minnesota, to be operated by the</u>		
23.14	<u>commissioner of veterans affairs. This</u>		
23.15	<u>appropriation may also be used to predesign</u>		
23.16	<u>and design the cemeteries.</u>		
23.17	Sec. 14. <u>CORRECTIONS</u>		
23.18	<u>Asset Preservation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>
23.19	<u>To the commissioner of administration for</u>		
23.20	<u>improvements and betterments of a capital</u>		
23.21	<u>nature at Minnesota correctional facilities</u>		
23.22	<u>statewide, in accordance with Minnesota</u>		
23.23	<u>Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
23.24	Sec. 15. <u>EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC</u>		
23.25	<u>DEVELOPMENT</u>		
23.26	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>45,250,000</u>
23.27	<u>To the commissioner of employment and</u>		
23.28	<u>economic development or other named</u>		
23.29	<u>agency for the purposes specified in this</u>		
23.30	<u>section.</u>		
23.31	<u>Subd. 2. Redevelopment Account</u>		<u>750,000</u>

24.1 For purposes of the redevelopment account
24.2 under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.571,
24.3 for a grant to St. Louis County to design,
24.4 construct, and install public infrastructure
24.5 from the city of Chisholm to the regional
24.6 competition and exhibit center. This
24.7 appropriation is not available until the
24.8 commissioner has determined that at least
24.9 an equal amount has been committed from
24.10 nonstate sources.

24.11 The commissioner may require that grant
24.12 money not committed by contract for
24.13 approved project activities within 120 days
24.14 after the grant agreement was signed be
24.15 returned and credited to the redevelopment
24.16 account.

24.17 Subd. 3. **Big Lake Regional Ice Center** 500,000

24.18 For a grant to the city of Big Lake to design,
24.19 construct, furnish, and equip an ice arena
24.20 complex to support the Big Lake regional
24.21 area.

24.22 The location of the ice arena complex
24.23 must take into consideration community
24.24 and business development, community
24.25 traffic routes, and transportation needs of
24.26 the Northstar commuter rail line serving
24.27 Big Lake to Minneapolis, and the possible
24.28 extension of the line to St. Cloud.

24.29 This appropriation is not available until the
24.30 commissioner has determined that at least
24.31 an equal amount has been committed from
24.32 nonstate sources.

24.33 Subd. 4. **Mankato - Women's Hockey**
24.34 **Exposition Center** 6,500,000

25.1 For a grant to the city of Mankato to design,
25.2 construct, furnish, and equip the Southern
25.3 Minnesota Women's Hockey Exposition
25.4 Center for use by Minnesota State University,
25.5 Mankato.

25.6 This appropriation is not available until the
25.7 commissioner has determined that at least
25.8 an equal amount has been committed to the
25.9 project from nonstate sources.

25.10 Subd. 5. **Minneapolis**

25.11 (a) **Orchestra Hall** 3,000,000

25.12 For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to
25.13 predesign the renovation of Orchestra Hall
25.14 and Peavey Plaza at its current downtown
25.15 Minneapolis location, subject to Minnesota
25.16 Statutes, section 16A.695.

25.17 (b) **Shubert Performing Arts and Education**
25.18 **Center** 2,000,000

25.19 For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to
25.20 construct, furnish, and equip the Shubert
25.21 Theater and an associated atrium to create
25.22 the Minnesota Shubert Performing Arts and
25.23 Education Center. This appropriation is
25.24 added to the appropriation in Laws 2006,
25.25 chapter 258, section 21, subdivision 17,
25.26 paragraph (b).

25.27 Subd. 6. **Olmsted County - Steam Line**
25.28 **Extension** 5,000,000

25.29 For a grant to Olmsted County to design
25.30 and construct approximately 1.25 miles of
25.31 a new steam pipeline from the Olmsted
25.32 Waste-to-Energy Facility to the Rochester
25.33 Community and Technical College Campus,
25.34 supplying steam heat and cooling from a
25.35 renewable energy source.

26.1 This appropriation is not available until the
26.2 commissioner has determined that at least
26.3 an equal amount has been committed from
26.4 Olmsted County.

26.5 Subd. 7. **St. Cloud - Civic Center Expansion** 13,000,000

26.6 For a grant to the city of St. Cloud to
26.7 acquire land for and to design, construct,
26.8 furnish, and equip an expansion of the St.
26.9 Cloud Civic Center. The expansion includes
26.10 approximately 66,000 square feet of new
26.11 space and a 300-stall parking ramp. This
26.12 appropriation is added to the appropriation
26.13 in Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 21,
26.14 subdivision 14.

26.15 This appropriation is not available until the
26.16 commissioner of finance determines that at
26.17 least \$13,000,000 is committed to the project
26.18 from nonstate sources.

26.19 Subd. 8. **St. Paul**

26.20 (a) **Asian Pacific Cultural Center** 4,500,000

26.21 For a grant to the Housing and
26.22 Redevelopment Authority of the city
26.23 of St. Paul, to construct, furnish, and equip
26.24 an Asian Pacific Cultural Center, subject to
26.25 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695.

26.26 This appropriation is not available until the
26.27 commissioner has determined that at least
26.28 an equal amount has been committed from
26.29 nonstate sources.

26.30 (b) **Gillette Children's Hospital Addition** 10,000,000

26.31 For a grant to Ramsey County to design,
26.32 construct, furnish, and equip the renovation
26.33 of and an addition of space for phase 1 of
26.34 three phases for the surgery, inpatient, and

27.1 pediatric intensive care expansion to Gillette
27.2 Children's Specialty Healthcare.

27.3 This appropriation is not available until the
27.4 commissioner has determined that at least
27.5 an equal amount has been committed from
27.6 nonstate sources. Money spent by Gillette
27.7 Children's Specialty Healthcare in 2009 for
27.8 this construction must be counted as part of
27.9 the match.

27.10 Sec. 16. **MINNESOTA HISTORICAL**
27.11 **SOCIETY**

27.12 **Historic Sites Asset Preservation** **\$ 2,065,000**

27.13 To the Minnesota Historical Society for
27.14 capital improvements and betterments at
27.15 state historic sites, buildings, landscaping
27.16 at historic buildings, exhibits, markers,
27.17 and monuments, to be spent in accordance
27.18 with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.
27.19 Notwithstanding that section, up to \$527,000
27.20 may be used to design projects eligible for
27.21 future funding. The society shall determine
27.22 project priorities as appropriate based on
27.23 need.

27.24 Sec. 17. **BOND SALE EXPENSES** **\$ 365,000**

27.25 To the commissioner of finance for bond sale
27.26 expenses under Minnesota Statutes, section
27.27 16A.641, subdivision 8.

27.28 Sec. 18. **BOND SALE SCHEDULE.**

27.29 The commissioner of finance shall schedule the sale of state general obligation
27.30 bonds so that, during the biennium ending June 30, 2011, no more than \$1,089,549,000
27.31 will need to be transferred from the general fund to the state bond fund to pay principal
27.32 and interest due and to become due on outstanding state general obligation bonds. During
27.33 the biennium, before each sale of state general obligation bonds, the commissioner of

28.1 finance shall calculate the amount of debt service payments needed on bonds previously
28.2 issued and shall estimate the amount of debt service payments that will be needed on the
28.3 bonds scheduled to be sold. The commissioner shall adjust the amount of bonds scheduled
28.4 to be sold so as to remain within the limit set by this section. The amount needed to make
28.5 the debt service payments is appropriated from the general fund as provided in Minnesota
28.6 Statutes, section 16A.641.

28.7 Sec. 19. **BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION.**

28.8 Subdivision 1. **Bond proceeds fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this act
28.9 from the bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of finance shall sell and issue bonds of the
28.10 state in an amount up to \$346,595,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
28.11 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
28.12 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

28.13 Subd. 2. **Maximum effort school loan fund.** To provide the money appropriated in
28.14 this act from the maximum effort school loan fund, the commissioner of finance shall sell
28.15 and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$5,780,000 in the manner, upon the terms,
28.16 and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by
28.17 the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7. The proceeds of the bonds, except
28.18 accrued interest and any premium received on the sale of the bonds, must be credited to a
28.19 bond proceeds account in the maximum effort school loan fund.

28.20 Subd. 3. **Transportation fund bond proceeds account.** To provide the money
28.21 appropriated in this article from the state transportation fund, the commissioner of finance
28.22 shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$15,300,000 in the manner, upon
28.23 the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to
28.24 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7. The proceeds of
28.25 the bonds, except accrued interest and any premium received on the sale of the bonds,
28.26 must be credited to a bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund.

28.27 Sec. 20. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 16A.86, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

28.28 Subd. 2. **Budget request.** A political subdivision that requests an appropriation of
28.29 state money for a local capital improvement project is encouraged to submit the request
28.30 to the commissioner of finance by July 15 of an odd-numbered year to ensure its full
28.31 consideration. The requests must be submitted in the form and with the supporting
28.32 documentation required by the commissioner of finance. All requests timely received by
28.33 the commissioner must be ~~forwarded~~ submitted to the legislature, along with ~~agency~~

29.1 ~~requests~~ the governor's recommendations, whether or not the governor recommends that a
29.2 request be funded, by the deadline established in section 16A.11, subdivision 1.

29.3 Sec. 21. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 16A.86, is amended by adding a subdivision
29.4 to read:

29.5 Subd. 3a. **Information provided.** All requests for state assistance under this section
29.6 must include the following information:

29.7 (1) the name of the political subdivision that will own the capital project for which
29.8 state assistance is being requested;

29.9 (2) the public purpose of the project;

29.10 (3) the extent to which the political subdivision has or expects to provide local,
29.11 private, user financing, or other nonstate funding for the project;

29.12 (4) a list of the bondable activities that the project encompasses; examples of
29.13 bondable activities are public improvements of a capital nature for land acquisition,
29.14 predesign, design, construction, and furnishing and equipping for occupancy;

29.15 (5) whether the project will require new or additional state operating subsidies;

29.16 (6) whether the governing body of the political subdivision requesting the project
29.17 has passed a resolution in support of the project and has established priorities for all
29.18 projects within its jurisdiction for which bonding appropriations are requested when
29.19 submitting multiple requests; and

29.20 (7) if the project requires a predesign under section 16B.335, whether the predesign
29.21 has been completed at the time the capital project request is submitted, and whether
29.22 the political subdivision has submitted the project predesign to the commissioner of
29.23 administration for review and approval.

29.24 Sec. 22. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 115A.908, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

29.25 Subd. 2. **Deposit of revenue.** ~~From the Revenue collected under this section, the~~
29.26 ~~amount necessary to make debt service payments on revenue bonds issued under section~~
29.27 ~~116.156 is annually appropriated to the commissioner of finance. Any remaining revenue~~
29.28 ~~collected shall~~ must be credited to the environmental fund.

29.29 Sec. 23. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 116.155, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

29.30 Subd. 3. **Revenues.** The following revenues shall be deposited in the general
29.31 portion of the remediation fund:

(1) response costs and natural resource damages related to releases of hazardous substances, or pollutants or contaminants, recovered under sections 115B.17, subdivisions 6 and 7, 115B.443, 115B.444, or any other law;

(2) money paid to the agency or the Agriculture Department by voluntary parties who have received technical or other assistance under sections 115B.17, subdivision 14, 115B.175 to 115B.179, and 115C.03, subdivision 9;

(3) money received in the form of gifts, grants, reimbursement, or appropriation from any source for any of the purposes provided in subdivision 2, except federal grants; and

~~(4) money received from revenue bonds sold under section 116.156 and placed in a special bond proceeds account; and~~

~~(5) interest accrued on the fund.~~

Sec. 24. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 134.45, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 8. **Sale of public library funded with state bond proceeds.** If the commissioner of education and the local or regional governmental entity that owns a public library that has been improved with state bond proceeds under this section determines that the library is no longer usable or needed for the purposes for which the grant of state bond funds was made, the owner of the public library may sell the property in the manner authorized by law for the sale of other property owned by that jurisdiction for its fair market value. The sale must be approved by the commissioner of finance. Notwithstanding section 16A.695, subdivision 3, clause (2), the net proceeds must be applied as follows: first, to pay the state the amount of state bond proceeds used to acquire or better the property; and second, any remaining amount must be paid to the local or regional governmental owner of the property sold. When the sale is complete and the sale proceeds have been applied as provided in this subdivision, section 16A.695 no longer applies to the property and the property is no longer state bond financed property.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment and applies to the sale of public library property on or after that date.

Sec. 25. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 135A.046, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Standards.** Capital budget expenditures for Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR) projects must be for one or more of the following: code compliance including health and safety, Americans with Disabilities Act requirements, hazardous material abatement, access improvement, or air quality improvement; building energy efficiency improvements using current best practices; or

31.1 building or infrastructure repairs necessary to preserve the interior and exterior of existing
31.2 buildings; or renewal to support the existing programmatic mission of the campuses. Up
31.3 to ten percent of an appropriation awarded under this section may be used for design
31.4 costs for projects eligible to be funded from this account in anticipation of future funding
31.5 from the account.

31.6 Sec. 26. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 136F.98, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

31.7 Subdivision 1. **Issuance of bonds.** The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State
31.8 Colleges and Universities or a successor may issue revenue bonds under sections 136F.90
31.9 to 136F.97 whose aggregate principal amount at any time may not exceed ~~\$200,000,000~~
31.10 \$225,000,000, and payable from the revenue appropriated to the fund established by
31.11 section 136F.94, and use the proceeds together with other public or private money that
31.12 may otherwise become available to acquire land, and to acquire, construct, complete,
31.13 remodel, and equip structures or portions thereof to be used for dormitory, residence hall,
31.14 student union, food service, parking purposes, or for any other similar revenue-producing
31.15 building or buildings of such type and character as the board finds desirable for the good
31.16 and benefit of the state universities. Before issuing the bonds or any part of them, the
31.17 board shall consult with and obtain the advisory recommendations of the chairs of the
31.18 house of representatives Ways and Means Committee and the senate Finance Committee
31.19 about the facilities to be financed by the bonds.

31.20 Sec. 27. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 20, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

31.21 Subd. 7. **Minnesota correctional facility -**
31.22 **Stillwater**

31.23 Segregation Unit 19,580,000

31.24 To complete design and to construct, furnish,
31.25 and equip a new 150-bed segregation unit
31.26 and reconstruct the old segregation unit.

31.27 Sec. 28. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 21, subdivision 6, as amended by Laws 2008,
31.28 chapter 179, section 65, is amended to read:

31.29 Subd. 6. **Redevelopment Account** 9,000,000

31.30 For purposes of the redevelopment account
31.31 under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.571.

32.1 \$800,000 is for a grant to the city of
32.2 Worthington to remediate contaminated soil
32.3 and redevelop the site of the former Campbell
32.4 Soup factory. This grant is exempt from the
32.5 requirements of Minnesota Statutes, sections
32.6 116J.572 to 116J.575. Notwithstanding
32.7 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the
32.8 bond authorization and appropriation of the
32.9 bond proceeds for this project do not cancel.

32.10 \$250,000 is for a grant to the city of Winona
32.11 to predesign facilities for a multipurpose
32.12 events center and arena to be used for the
32.13 Shakespeare Festival, Beethoven Festival,
32.14 and Winona State University events. This
32.15 grant is exempt from the requirements of
32.16 Minnesota Statutes, sections 116J.572 to
32.17 116J.575.

32.18 Sec. 29. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 23, subdivision 3, as amended by Laws 2008,
32.19 chapter 179, section 68, is amended to read:

32.20 Subd. 3. **Historic Fort Snelling Museum and**
32.21 **Visitor Center** 1,100,000

32.22 To predesign and design the historic Fort
32.23 Snelling Museum and Visitor Center and
32.24 other site improvements to revitalize historic
32.25 Fort Snelling.

32.26 Sec. 30. Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 3, subdivision 12, as amended by Laws 2008,
32.27 chapter 365, section 17, is amended to read:

32.28 Subd. 12. **Metropolitan State University**
32.29 **(a) Smart Classroom Center** 4,980,000

32.30 To construct, furnish, and equip renovation
32.31 of two floors of technology-enhanced
32.32 classrooms and academic offices in the
32.33 power plant building. This appropriation

33.1	includes money to demolish the power plant	
33.2	annex to enable the new construction. *	
33.3	(The preceding text beginning "(a) Smart	
33.4	Classroom Center" was indicated as	
33.5	vetoed by the governor.)	
33.6	(b) Law Enforcement Training Center	13,900,000
33.7	To compete design of and to construct,	
33.8	furnish, and equip, in cooperation with	
33.9	Minneapolis Community and Technical	
33.10	College, a colocated Law Enforcement	
33.11	Training Center on the campus of Hennepin	
33.12	Technical College in Brooklyn Park. The	
33.13	board may use up to \$2,000,000 of college	
33.14	or, university, or nonstate money for	
33.15	<u>the remainder of the cost of design and</u>	
33.16	<u>construction of this project.</u>	
33.17	Sec. 31. Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 3, subdivision 21, is amended to read:	
33.18	Subd. 21. Owatonna College and University	
33.19	Center	
33.20	Property Acquisition	3,500,000
33.21	To acquire the Owatonna College and	
33.22	University Center Building in Steele County,	
33.23	including the purchase of adjacent vacant	
33.24	land <u>and accomplishing minor capital</u>	
33.25	<u>improvements to the property.</u>	
33.26	Sec. 32. Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 3, subdivision 25, is amended to read:	
33.27	Subd. 25. St. Cloud State University	
33.28	(a) Brown Science Hall Renovation	14,800,000
33.29	To complete design of and to construct,	
33.30	furnish, and equip a renovation of Brown	
33.31	Hall for classrooms, science laboratories, and	
33.32	other instructional and ancillary spaces. This	

34.1 appropriation includes funding to reglaze the
34.2 existing skyway from the building and to
34.3 construct a new skyway to Centennial Hall.

34.4 This appropriation may also be used to
34.5 complete design and construction drawings
34.6 for the Science and Engineering Lab
34.7 authorized in paragraph (b) and to demolish
34.8 building number 801.

34.9 **(b) Science and Engineering Lab** 900,000

34.10 To design an integrated science and
34.11 engineering laboratory and student and
34.12 academic support building.

34.13 Sec. 33. Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 12, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

34.14 Subd. 3. **State Capitol Building Restoration** 13,400,000

34.15 For renovation of the State Capitol Building
34.16 including, but not limited to: site work
34.17 to stabilize the plaza; replacement and
34.18 stabilization of the building's exterior
34.19 envelope; replacement of air handling units
34.20 at risk of failure; and projects to improve
34.21 interior emergency lighting, dome lighting,
34.22 and catwalks.

34.23 Up to \$2,000,000 of this appropriation may
34.24 be used for predesign and schematic design
34.25 work to restore and renovate the Capitol
34.26 and meet related space and functional
34.27 requirements.

34.28 Sec. 34. Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 15, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

34.29 Subd. 5. **Marshall - Minnesota Emergency**
34.30 **Response and Industry Training Center** 300,000

34.31 For a grant to the city of Marshall to
34.32 predesign Phase 2 of the Minnesota

35.1 Emergency Response and Industry Training
35.2 (MERIT) Center, including a wind energy
35.3 training area, an ethanol fuels training area,
35.4 and other training facilities, and to design,
35.5 construct, and equip the wind energy and
35.6 ethanol fuel training facilities.

35.7 This appropriation is not available until the
35.8 commissioner has determined that at least
35.9 an equal amount has been committed from
35.10 nonstate sources. The match may include
35.11 in-kind contributions.

35.12 Sec. 35. Laws 2008, chapter 365, section 4, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

35.13 Subd. 3. **Old Cedar Avenue Bridge** 2,000,000

35.14 For a grant to the city of Bloomington for
35.15 removal and replacement of or to renovate
35.16 the old Cedar Avenue bridge for bicycle
35.17 commuters and recreational users. This
35.18 appropriation is added to the appropriation
35.19 in Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 17,
35.20 subdivision 8.

35.21 Sec. 36. **CONVEYANCE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS.**

35.22 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, subdivision 3, or any other
35.23 law to the contrary, the Metropolitan Council shall convey the Apple Valley Transit
35.24 Station and the real property on which it is situated, located in Dakota County, to the
35.25 Minnesota Valley Transit Authority for nominal consideration, in order to carry out the
35.26 governmental program and public purpose for which the Apple Valley Transit Station was
35.27 constructed. Any subsequent conveyance of this property by the Minnesota Valley Transit
35.28 Authority is subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, subdivision 3.

35.29 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

35.30 Sec. 37. **REPEALER.**

35.31 Minnesota Statutes 2008, sections 16A.86, subdivision 3; and 116.156, and Laws
35.32 2008, chapter 179, section 8, subdivision 3, are repealed.

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- Sec. 38. EFFECTIVE DATE.
- 36.2
- This act is effective the day following final enactment.

16A.86 CAPITAL PROJECT GRANTS TO POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS.

Subd. 3. **Evaluation.** (a) The commissioner shall evaluate all requests from political subdivisions for state assistance based on the following criteria:

(1) the political subdivision has provided for local, private, and user financing for the project to the maximum extent possible;

(2) the project helps fulfill an important state mission;

(3) the project is of regional or statewide significance;

(4) the project will not require new or any additional state operating subsidies;

(5) the project will not expand the state's role in a new policy area;

(6) state funding for the project will not create significant inequities among local jurisdictions;

(7) the project will not compete with other facilities in such a manner that they lose a significant number of users to the new project;

(8) the governing bodies of those political subdivisions primarily benefiting from the project have passed resolutions in support of the project and have established priorities for all projects within their jurisdictions for which bonding appropriations are requested when submitting multiple requests; and

(9) if a predesign that meets the requirements of section 16B.335 has been completed and is available at the time the project request is submitted to the commissioner of finance, the applicant has submitted the project predesign to the commissioner of administration.

(b) The commissioner's evaluation of each request, including whether it meets each of the criteria in paragraph (a), must be submitted to the legislature along with the governor's recommendations under section 16A.11, subdivision 1, whether or not the governor recommends that the request be funded.

116.156 CLOSED LANDFILL CLEANUP REVENUE BONDS.

Subdivision 1. **Bonding authority.** (a) The commissioner of finance, if requested by the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency, shall sell and issue state revenue bonds for the following purposes:

(1) to take actions related to hazardous substances, pollutants, or contaminants at and from qualified landfill facilities as provided in section 115B.42, subdivision 2;

(2) to pay the costs of issuance, debt service, and bond insurance or other credit enhancements and to fund reserves; and

(3) to refund bonds issued under this section.

(b) The amount of bonds that may be issued for the purposes of paragraph (a), clause (1), may not exceed \$25,000,000. The amount of bonds that may be issued for the purposes of paragraph (a), clauses (2) and (3), is not limited.

Subd. 2. **Procedure.** The commissioner of finance may sell and issue the bonds on the terms and conditions the commissioner of finance determines to be in the best interests of the state. The bonds may be sold at public or private sale. The commissioner of finance may enter any agreements or pledges the commissioner of finance determines necessary or useful to sell the bonds that are not inconsistent with this section. Sections 16A.672 to 16A.675 apply to the bonds. The proceeds of the bonds issued under this section must be credited to a special bond proceeds account in the remediation fund and are appropriated to the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency for the purposes specified in subdivision 1.

Subd. 3. **Revenue sources.** The debt service on the bonds is payable only from the following sources:

(1) the motor vehicle transfer fee under section 115A.908; and

(2) other revenues pledged to the payment of the bonds.

Subd. 4. **Refunding bonds.** The commissioner of finance may issue bonds to refund outstanding bonds issued under subdivision 1, including the payment of any redemption premiums on the bonds and any interest accrued or to accrue to the first redemption date after delivery of the refunding bonds. The proceeds of the refunding bonds may, in the discretion of the commissioner of finance, be applied to the purchases or payment at maturity of the bonds to be refunded, or the redemption of the outstanding bonds on the first redemption date after delivery of the refunding bonds and may, until so used, be placed in escrow to be applied to the purchase, retirement, or redemption. Refunding bonds issued under this subdivision must be issued and secured in the manner provided by the commissioner of finance.

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Subd. 5. **Not a general or moral obligation.** Bonds issued under this section are not public debt, and the full faith, credit, and taxing powers of the state are not pledged for their payment. The bonds may not be paid, directly in whole or in part from a tax of statewide application on any class of property, income, transaction, or privilege. Payment of the bonds is limited to the revenues explicitly authorized to be pledged under this section. The state neither makes nor has a moral obligation to pay the bonds if the pledged revenues and other legal security for them is insufficient.

Subd. 6. **Trustee.** The commissioner of finance may contract with and appoint a trustee for bondholders. The trustee has the powers and authority vested in it by the commissioner of finance under the bond and trust indentures.

Subd. 7. **Pledges.** Any pledge made by the commissioner of finance is valid and binding from the time the pledge is made. The money or property pledged and later received by the commissioner of finance is immediately subject to the lien of the pledge without any physical delivery of the property or money or further act, and the lien of any pledge is valid and binding as against all parties having claims of any kind in tort, contract, or otherwise against the commissioner of finance, whether or not those parties have notice of the lien or pledge. Neither the order nor any other instrument by which a pledge is created need be recorded.

Subd. 8. **Bonds; purchase and cancellation.** The commissioner of finance, subject to agreements with bondholders that may then exist, may, out of any money available for the purpose, purchase bonds of the commissioner of finance at a price not exceeding (1) if the bonds are then redeemable, the redemption price then applicable plus accrued interest to the next interest payment date thereon, or (2) if the bonds are not redeemable, the redemption price applicable on the first date after the purchase upon which the bonds become subject to redemption plus accrued interest to that date.

Subd. 9. **State pledge against impairment of contracts.** The state pledges and agrees with the holders of any bonds that the state will not limit or alter the rights vested in the commissioner of finance to fulfill the terms of any agreements made with the bondholders, or in any way impair the rights and remedies of the holders until the bonds, together with interest on them, with interest on any unpaid installments of interest, and all costs and expenses in connection with any action or proceeding by or on behalf of the bondholders, are fully met and discharged. The commissioner of finance may include this pledge and agreement of the state in any agreement with the holders of bonds issued under this section.

Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 8, subdivision 3

Sec. 8. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY

Subd. 3.**Closed Landfill Cleanup Revenue Bonds** 25,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the remediation fund under new Minnesota Statutes, section 116.156.

This appropriation is for action at qualified closed landfill facilities in Albert Lea, Mille Lacs County, Washington County, the Western Lake Superior Sanitary District, and other locations as determined by the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency.

If the dig and fill option is chosen for remediation of the Washington County landfill, the landfill must have a triple liner.

By January 15, 2009, the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency shall report to the house and senate Finance Committees and divisions with jurisdiction over the environment on whether the remediation fund needs additional revenue in order to provide timely cleanup of closed landfills in the state without depleting the remediation fund. If the fund needs additional revenue, the commissioner shall include in the report recommendations for revenue sources and amounts that will meet that need.